ONE COPPY, ONE YEAR, : : : \$1.50 Next year a Senate and House will be elected, and the people will have a hand Advertising Rates, Reasonable.

STROTHER BROTHERS,

Editors and Publishers. DEMOCRATIC COUNTY TICKET.

FOR TREASURER, THOMAS KIRBY. FOR SHERIFF, J. J. MILLER. FOR CORONER. WILLIAM PERKINS. FOR COMMISSIONER 3D DIST., H. J. G. NEUMULLER.

Union this year in her crop results, Kan- Comley Dramatic company brings to the sas must needs add another laurel to city one of the best companies ever orher crown. At the competitive drill of ganized for dramatic work and who Knights Templar organizations at Lou- boldly flaunt to the breeze a repertoire isville, Ky., last Thursday, Tancred of five pieces. The bright, particular Commandery, No. 3, of Columbus, Kas., star of this organization is Lizzie Harwon the first prize, which consisted of \$500. in money and a beautiful and the most prominent of all American costly banner. All hail to successful soubrettes. Her professional life has Kansas.

The Iowa Campaign.

is being conducted with unusual vigor. While in the latter house she created the This fall the issues outlined are prohibition and protective tariff on the side part of Buttercup in "Pinafore," which has been copied by hundreds. She also of the republicans, and license and tariff created the part of Betty in "Our Boardfor revenue only on the side of the dem- ing House," and Belinda in "Our Boys," crats. They are calling some of the The latter had the longest run of any strongest men into the campaign. Ben play on record." Harrison has been on the stump for the republicans, and Gov. Hendricks for the democrats, and Congressman Wm. Springer, of Illinois, is in the city to- ed Fay Templeton in Mascotte, Tuesday on his way to that state, where he day evening at Bonebrake's Opera will be found on Monday giving a series of speeches lasting till the time of the minds beforehand to be pleased, and election.

The Franco-Chinese War.

newspapers now say that Europe should sive; sentimental without mawkishness, make common cause with France and altogether irresistable. The bel against China. European and Ameri- csprit of her support was very good. can interests are all imperilled by the Particularly favorable mention may be war which France either rightly or made of Alice Vane as the Princess; of wrongly is engaged in. It is much too LouisdeLange, the mercurial and clown-soon for France to invoke the aid of ish Lorenzo XVII, and of Charles J. Europe. No doubt all the nations whose citizens trade in China will be obliged to protect their people, but why in the end the advantage should all accrue to house. France is not quite clear. If the governments of Europe interfere at all except to protect their people, it will be The musical progidy of the century, to insist that France shall arbitrate. It will give two performances in Boneis clearly understood that China is wil- brake Opera House, Oct. 4th and 5th. ling .- Kansas City Times.

Judge Martin's District.

The republicans of Judge John Mar-tin's Judicial District are evidently serious in their belief that he can be beaten. Accordingly, a convention has been called to meet at Wamego to-day for the purpose of nominating a candidate against the Judge. The Man- will hold a grand Fair and Bazaar in the new hattan Nationalist, a prohibition repub- church at Chapman, Oct. 23, 24 and 25th. The oblican paper, has the following to say in ject for said Fair is to help pay for the new church regard to the matter: "The great majority of the Republicans of this District, at the Fair will be paid to mechanics and merfor reasons sufficient to themselves, are chants here, so that a good cause will be aided satisfied with John Martin, as a Judge and the money kept in our midst. After seeing and do not want a judicial convention. In consequence of this fact, the Republican committees of the respective counties have declined to call a convention, but some individuals, acting on their own responsibility, have called one to to make the occasion a most pleasant gathering. meet at Wamego, on September 27th. Committees were appointed as far back as July Their right to do so cannot be questioned, but their acts will, of course, bind no one except themselves. They zaar can be pronounced a decided success. speak for themselves as individual mem-

Railroad Extortion.

the railroad company doesn't correct tend the Fair and Bazaar at Chapman, Oct. 23,-24,25 the existing oppression in freight tariffs a State Legislature will be elected that will. Last week's *Herald* said: "We call the attention of the Railroad comby the Union Pacific. They show how completely we are subject to the tyran-Chicago to Kansas City was four dollars and thirty two cents and from the latter City to Salina, nine dollars, making the total freight bill, thirteen dollars and thirty two cents. The lifetime from the latter City to Salina, nine dollars, making the total freight bill, thirteen dollars and thirty two cents. The lifetime from the latter to salice to order by A. W. Rice, member of the Eighth Judicial District Central Committee. and thirty two cents. This is nearly seventy-six per cent on the value of the goods. Of course the business man who received these goods will reap a committee to select and present to the convensmall profit, and the people are the ones tion the names of nine persons to act as delegates who suffer. If such evils as this one and the names of nine persons as alternates, to cannot be remedied we are afraid the the Judicial District Convention to be held at Railroad commission is a failure if not Junction City, Sept. 26, 1883. a farce.

The U. P. Railroad.

tempted to legislate this haughty and overbearing corporation into something like fairness it has "hardened its heart" stambaugh, James Morley, J. J. Cooper, J. R. Burton, J. M. Fisher, C. F. Mead, M. P. Jolley, O. L. Moore.

On motion, the report of the Committee was and stiffened its neck." Less attention adopted. is paid to the accommodation of the public; freight rates have been advanced instead of lowered; shipping rules and G. W. CARPENTER, Secretaries. regulations have been made more rigo- M. P. JOLLEY, rous, and in all the dealings of the railroad company is seen an arbitrary disposition to make the people suffer for Pacific House. attempting to ameliorate their condition. By and through these means the company expects to force the people Good Accommodations, Good Sized Sample from their stand and make them how in from their stand and make them bow in submission to the most heartless mo- ENTERPRISE,

Thursday, Sept. 27, 1883.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION. in choosing their senators and representatives. Then the strength of our Farmers' Alliances will be felt, and men will be elected who will correct existing abuses by framing laws to govern the railroads. "Pride goeth before a fall," and the Union Pacific railroad company, now enjoying its display of pride, will soon mourn over its enforced fall.

AMUSEMENTS.

"PRINCESS CHUCK."

The Comley Comedy Company will appear before our people to-night in the above comedy-drama. The Kansas City, St. Joseph and Topeka papers speak very Kansas To The Front.

Besides being the leading State in the

Besides being the leading State in the

Besides being the leading State in the been spent in the Park and Fifth avenue theatres in New York, the Walnut, Chesnut and Arch street theatrrs in Philadelphia, and two years at the cel-The gubernatorial campaign in Iowa ebrated Boston Museum, Boston, and

MASCOTTE.

A large and intelligent audience greetthe performance, as a whoie, was not disappointing. The artistic merits of Fay Templeton are beyond question. Her acting is artistic without being un-The plot thickens in China. French natural; rollicking without being offen-

BLIND BOONE,

This will be an opportunity to listen to really fine, classic music.

Chapman-Fair and Bazaar.

F. A. B. A. C.

The Catholic congregation of Chapman assisted the church no one will regret their contribution, for it will be a structure fit to grace any eastern city, one that will reflect credit on this section and will ultimately prove one of the factors that will tend to draw emmigration in our direction. The managers of the Fair have left nothing undone

Friends of the Congregation in Dickinson or bers of the party—but not for the party

Davis county, intending to visit the Fair, can be as a whole."

Davis county, intending to visit the Fair, can be assured in advance that the nights of the Chapassured in advance that the nights of the Chapman Fair will be hours of real enjoyment. In the next issue of the REFLECTOR the different features of the Fair and Bazaar will be enumera-The Salina Herald is waking up to ted in detail and objects donated to Fair and names the fact that the U. P. railway is ex- of friends donating them will also be given. A tortionate in its freight rates. And if | cordial invitation is extended to the public to at

County Judicial Convention.

At a non-partisan County Convention of the missioners and the people of our city to | Electors of Dickinson County, Kansas, held at the the following exhorbitant rates charged | court house in Abilene on the 24th day of Sepnical and extortionate rule of a railroad. to represent Dickinson County in the Judicial Dis-A firm in this city ordered a bill of trict Convention to be held at Junction City on merchandise valued at seventeen dol-lars and fifteen cents. The freight from of putting in nomination a candidate for Judge C. G. Hawk was chosen chairman and G. W.

Carpenter and M. P. Jolley, secretaries. On motion, W. S. Stambaugh, B. W. Peck and C. H. Lebold were appointed by the chairman a

as delegates: L. A. Reed, J. J. Berry, John Bell, M. D. Herington, C. L. Sherman .- And the

On motion, the report of the Committee was

C. G. HAWK, Chairman.

E. GEORGE, Pro. KANSAS.

Hodge Brothers,

HARDWARE,

CUTLERY, NAILS, MECHANICS TOOLS,

Acorn Stoves,

BUGGIES, SPRING WAGONS,

PUMPS, &C.

Tin Roofing and Spouting a Specialty

Call and get prices before buying elsewhere.

Have just received an immense stock of above goods and if you will call we will convince you that we are selling at low prices.

Buckeye Avenue,

ABILENE, KANSAS.

This space reserved for T. C. McInerney's advertisement next week.

HAZLETT & CO.'S

Merchant

Tailoring

Department.Furniture Carpet

To those persons wishing a perfect fit in Clothing we would call their atten-The committee presented the following names | tion to the fact, that we have the only Merchant Tailoring Establishment in Johntz, J. F. Staatz, T. C. Iliff, T. C. Ayres, Clem Abilene. We have a full line of imported and Domestic goods and can make Ever since the people of the State at- following as alternates: Wm. sherwood, W. S. you an elegant, perfect fitting suit at what you would pay for ready made clothing. This Department is presided over by MAJ. WISE, who will guarantee you a perfect fit or no sale. Call and look at these goods.

HAZLETT & CO.

C. G. HAWK.

JNO. M. GLEISSNER.

THE

HAWK & GLEISSNER,

DEALERS IN

TOILET GOODS, STATIONERY, &c.

A Full Line of Humphrey's Homeopathic Medicines.

Headquarters For

Painters' Supplies, Glass, Machine Oils, &c., &c.

We keep at all times best Head Light Oil, 175 degrees test. CALL AND SEE US.

PIONEER.

PIONEER.

PIONEER.

SMITH'S DRUG STORE

HAS ALWAYS BEEN

The Pioneer in Low Prices.

And now offers better bargains to all. Having but little money invested in show we can often sell goods cheaper than more pretentious establishments. We keep the best call and see.

D. G. SMITH.

J. H. BRADY,

THE LEADING

REAL ESTATE AGENT

CENTRAL KANSAS.

Offers More Good Bargains than any man in Kansas.

Agent for U. P. R. R. Lands, National Land Company's Land, Agricultural College Lands.

If you want to buy a Farm, call and see him.

Correct Abstracts Made For All Lands In Dickinson Co

Money Loaned at Lowest Rates.

Taxes Paid for Non-Residents.

No Charge for Showing Lands. Better Bargains now than ever before. J. H. BRADY, Enterprise, Kansas.

TO BREEDERS of CATTLE.

WE HAVE A FEW FINELY BRED

Short-Horn Bull Calves

WHICH WE WISH TO DISPOSE OF THIS FALL.

Here is a rare chance to get good stock cheap. For further information call on H. H. FLOYD, Abilene, Kansas. FLOYD & BOARDMAN.

HEADQUARTERS

---A T---

UPSHAW'S

CORNER OF FOURTH AND BROADWAY.

Sign of the Big Chair.

Carries the largest stock in the west. I can and will sell cheaper than any other house in Dickinson county. I have no rents to pay, no expensive clerk hire, and I give my customers the advantage of it. Don't buy without seeing my goods and getting prices. No trouble to show goods.

M. V. UPSHAW,